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Robert N. Anderson '49 To Be *Frontiers* Editor

Financial Support Sought; Colleges Consider Subsidy

Robert N. Andersen '49 has been lected the new editor of *Frontiers*, student literary publication. Mr. Andersen iicceeds Robert F. Harris '49 who will emain on the staff in the position of adisory editor.

Other members of the new staff are .orena M. Laing '49, art editor; Marion . Higley '49, managing editor; Forest M. Hunter '50, literary editor. Members of the editorial staff are John E. Shahan 49, Louise G. Laverie '50, Barbara J. Parker '50, and Norma J. Findlay '51. The business staff includes Robert T. Erickson '50, Paul R. Andrews '51, Wilard T. Jackson '51, and Jane M. Livsey 49. Alfred P. Haft '49, Sheldon Flory 50, Renton Bond '51 and Helen E. Reid 51 compose the art staff and the staff ssistants are Leonard Leving '49, Charles H. Pope '49, and Bernard Z. Friedlander '51, and Scott Taylor '51.

The Women's Assembly has passed the esolution that $.50 per semester be added o the student activities fee of the wom-n's college for the subsidization of *Frontiers* for a probationary period of ne year. A similar proposal has been laced before the men's college, but the esults of the voting are not available as et. Final approval of this additional fee nust come from the administration.

Positions on the staff are still open nd student literary contributions are encouraged. A minimum of two issues will e published next year.

Charles P. Puksta, C. Irving Meeker Receive Awards

Charles P. Puksta '49 was awarded the John P. Stabile Memorial Cup yesterday in daily chapel, and C. Irving Meeker '50 was presented the Hazeltine-Klevenow cup Tuesday.

The Stabile cup is awarded annually to the athlete who best exemplifies the Middlebury spirit and was established in memory of Lt. John P. Stabile '40 who was killed in action on Guadalcanal. The cup was established by Lt. John F. Hogan '41.

Mr. Puksta has been a mainstay of the varsity football team for three years and captained the squad during the 1948 season. He also served on the athletic council. He was a representative to Men's Assembly for three years, freshman class treasurer, sophomore class president, and junior class vice-president. As a sophomore he was tapped for Blue Key. This past year he served as chairman of the student educational policy committee.

The Hazeltine-Klevenow cup is awarded each year to a man in any of the four classes who has best combined ability in athletics and excellence in scholarship. The cup was established by Marshall M. Klevenow, Middlebury coach from 1925 to 1928, and Burt A. Hazeltine, Dean of Men from 1926 to 1938.

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Chi Psi Fraternity Votes To Finance Exchange Student

A foreign exchange student will be financed by Alpha Mu of Chi Psi at Middlebury for a period of one year according to plans formulated at a meeting of the fraternity Monday night. All expenses will be paid by the fraternity and the student will live at the Lodge.

Because the college has not yet adopted the so-called Bowdoin plan, which has been accepted by six fraternities the Chi Psis decided to arrange for a student on their own initiative. Their plan has the approval of the administration.

The student will be chosen from a list submitted by the Institute of International Education. The fraternity has indicated that it is interested in a Scandinavian, preferably a junior, with outstanding abilities in both the scholastic and athletic fields.

The Lodge will provide tuition, room, board and books, having a total value of approximately $1,100. The student must pay his own transportation expenses as well as any incidentals he might require.

Under the Bowdoin plan, which was discussed by the Interfraternity Council this spring and referred to the houses for a decision, the college would waive the tuition for the foreign student and the fraternities would provide only room and board.

Optima Prize Won By E. W. Arrington

Elaine W. Arrington '49, was awarded the Optima prize yesterday during the daily chapel services by Pres. Samuel S. Stratton.

Miss Arrington was recently elected treasurer of the new Student Union of the Women's College and was one of the six women tapped for the new Mortar Board. She has been a member of the Women's Assembly during her three years at Middlebury, active in the Women's Forum and in the W.A.A., class vice-president during her sophomore year, and on the Dean's List both her freshman and sophomore years.

The Optima prize, including $200 and a gold emblem, is awarded each year to the junior woman who by vote of her class is considered most typical of Middlebury as shown in character, scholarship, and personality. The award was established in 1929 in memory of Henry Robert Vail, trustee from 1893 to 1925, by Mr. and Mrs. Roger S. Baldwin in appreciation of the benefits derived by their daughter during her undergraduate days at Middlebury.

NEAL, MEYER HEAD WOMEN'S FORUM

Dorcas R. Neal '49, president; Anne E. Meyer '50, vice-president; E. Jo Overlock '51, secretary; and K. Diane Brehm '50, treasurer are the newly-elected officers of Women's Forum as a result of the voting which took place in Chapel Friday and Saturday, May 21 and 22.

Miss Neal is a member of the choir and of the governing board of Skyline. Former secretary and retiring vice-president of Women's Forum, she has been an active participant in W. A. A. activities and is house president of Pearsons.

Forum activities include operating the Thrift Shop, teaching music, dancing, arts and crafts to grammar school children and conducting a weekly story hour for them, leading the Brownie and Scout troops, being hostess at the Community House, giving a Christmas party for the children in Ripton, and supporting the Town Recreation Fund and a European child.

Senior Week Activities Planned For June 11-14

Williams Success, "Glass Menagerie" To Be Presented

"The Glass Menagerie," by Tennessee Williams, which was presented by the Players in January, will be revived June 11 and 12. The members of the cast of the original Middlebury production will repeat their roles in the Senior Week performances.

Williams' "Glass Menagerie," an expressionistic "memory play," was the dramatist's first successful Broadway venture. The play won enthusiastic audience acclaim and a New York Drama Critics' Award.

Patricia P. Dow '48 will appear as the faded Amanda Wingfield who clings fiercely to crumbling respectability. Her fragile daughter Laura Wingfield will be played by Anne M. Clark '48. Harold J. White '50 will appear as Tom, Amanda's rebellious son. The part of the gentleman caller, Jim O'Connor, will be taken by Eugene Miller '48. Mr. Erie T. Volkert will direct the production.

The Commencement weekend performances of the play will give students, faculty, alums, and guests an opportunity to witness the work of one of America's most promising young playwrights. Williams, whose reputation was established by "The Glass Menagerie," was this year awarded the Pulitzer drama prize for his "A Streetcar Named Desire."

Production of "The Glass Menagerie" presents some unique problems in set, costume, and makeup.

Program Includes Cane Ceremony, Class Day Events

At the 148th annual graduation ceremony to be held on Monday, June 14, 286 seniors, 118 men and 168 women, will be awarded bachelors degrees from Middlebury College. Seven graduate students will receive master of science degrees and eight master of arts degrees will be awarded.

The activities preceding graduation include class day exercises, cane ceremony and other traditional activities.

The class day exercises will be held at 9.30 a.m. on the lower campus in front of Old Chapel. Junior women will form a daisy chain to precede the seniors down the hill. At this time the class will and prophecy will be read and honors announced.

Cane ceremony will be held at 7.30 p.m. on Sunday, June 13 in Forest Arcade. The seniors hand their traditional canes down to the junior women and both classes serenade with both new and old Middlebury songs.

Senior sing, a collection of parodies on popular songs, will be held during daily chapel sometime this week. Prior to graduation the junior women will serenade the seniors, carrying lighted candles and marching through the senior dormitories.

Moving-up day, when seniors will vacate their chapel seats for the juniors to move into, will also be held sometime this week.

The baccalaureate service will be held on Sunday, June 13 at 10.45 a.m. in Mead Chapel.

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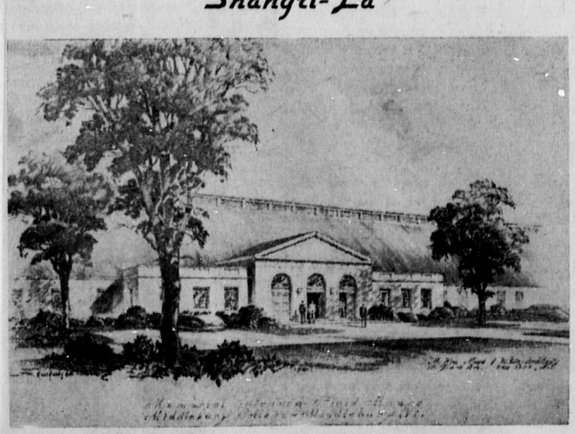

Plans Completed For Memorial Gym; Cornerstone To Be Laid On June 12

The cornerstone of Middlebury's memorial field house and gymnasium will be laid at 3.00 p.m. Saturday, June 12, during Commencement weekend. Final architectural details have been completed and preliminary work has begun on the building site. It is expected that the building, which will be erected parallel to South Main St., beyond the Chi Psi lodge, will be fully completed within a year.

The former Naval recreation building measuring 400 feet in length and 120 feet wide will be divided to provide full gymnasium and field house facilities. The old house portion will occupy the north end of the building and the gymnasium the south end.

A memorial entrance will be constructed at the center of the building facing the street. The first floor of this facade will contain offices, lobby, foyer, and trophy cases.

The memorial will provide 54,000 square feet of floor space. During hockey season the field house section of the building will house a natural ice rink. During spring and fall sports seasons the field house floor will be available for varsity and intramural sports. The gymnasium area contains sufficient space for a regulation and three practice basketball courts. Present plans indicate that the building will provide facilities for a field cage, badminton and volleyball courts, lockers, showers, trainers' rooms and equipment storage space.

The Losers

Junior Weekend Includes Traditional Step-Singing, Prom and Tug-of-War

The freshman men and the sophomore women were awarded first prizes in the annual Junior Weekend step singing held Sunday on the steps of Mead Chapel. Honorable mention went to the junior men and the senior women.

David Smith, noted concert pianist, led the freshman men and also wrote the music and lyrics of one song and contributed the lyrics to the other two songs sung by his class. Barbara Ferris was the leader of the sophomore women and wrote the music and lyrics to one of the three songs sung by her class.

At the Wonderland Ball Friday evening Margery W. Mehl '49 was crowned Queen of Junior Weekend. Miss Mehl was presented with a headdress of flowers and a locket by James R. Nugent '49, Co-chairman of Junior Weekend. The Yale Collegians provided the music and the Yale Orpheus and Bacchus Chorus sang during intermissions.

Saturday afternoon an enthusiastic crowd watched the resuming of an old Middlebury tradition which was curtailed by the war, the freshman-sophomore tug of war. The sophomores, who had been challenged by the freshmen, dunked the frosh twice in Porter Pond and proved their definite superiority. The event was a muddy melee, and the local laundry ladies are said to be staunch supporters of this hoary tradition.

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Luck and Success

Soon another class of Middlebury men and women will walk into Mead Chapel for the last time as undergraduates and will walk out a short time later as alumni and alumnae.

Usually editorials to the graduating class are an attempt to describe the "cold, cruel world" they are about to face or are filled with sentimental thoughts and reflections. Rather than elaborate along these lines of pessimism or nostalgia, I am approaching the subject from a different angle.

Words that will be heard soon by all seniors are luck and success. The author of the *American Ordnance Association Business Letter*, E. B. Gallaher, was asked by an undergraduate of his college to give a formula for a successful life. His reply was seen by the editors of the *Business Letter* and was printed in the February, 1948, issue. If space permitted I would print the entire letter; however, this is not possible, but the following passages contain sound wisdom for all.

". . . . In the first place you must define what is meant by success before you can plan to achieve it. You must have a definite objective.

"Do you wish to acquire great riches? Do you aspire to become a leader in industry? Do you wish to acquire a reputation as a scientist, or an engineer? Or, possibly you may have no ambition to become great and are looking forward to a quiet, normal, useful life which you can develop to the maximum of your mental and physical ability.

"Success means the accomplishment of a definite objective.

"One thing is certain: we all can't be great leaders, great scientists, nor possess great riches. To achieve any of these we ourselves must be outstanding, possess a combination of virtues, and have more than our fair share of luck. We must, therefore, look at things in a realistic manner, for we are living in a realistic world. . . .

"All your college course can do for you is to coordinate your process of thinking and analysis. . . . The college course also endeavors to build character and to instill in you the ethics of your chosen profession. . . . When you graduate you will be filled with theories and formulae, but you will have no practical experience either in your profession or in industrial life.

"Your diploma is not a guarantee that you will be a success in the world or even in your profession. It simply means that you have served a sort of technical apprenticeship and are now prepared to enter upon your life's work. . . .

"Success will depend on a number of things: your intelligence, the amount of general and world knowledge you have acquired and knowledge of your particular work, tireless effort and your ambition to progress, your moral honesty, your ability to work with others as a team, your ability to raise and lower your own level to the level of intelligence of those with whom you must work and to do this so simply and easily that it becomes unnoticed. . . .

"In seeking a job, don't make the usual mistake of placing a value on your ability. The main thing is to get the right job with the right concern. The amount they offer you to start means nothing, as you can be certain that your various virtues and your ability, as well as your short-comings, will be carefully appraised by your superiors, and your compensation will be quickly adjusted to them. . . .

"One of your greatest assets will be your ability to say 'I don't know; please show me.' Too many young men, especially college men, feel they should have all the answers. . . .

"If I had to pick out briefly the elements which make for success, I would place intelligence first followed closely by knowledge—both general and special—acquired as you progress, strict integrity, modesty, sincerity, your ability to work with those around you, intense interest in your work which you must love, extreme faith in your own ability, faith in your fellow man, faith in our system of free enterprise, faith in our country which has given you the chance to live as a free man and prosper. And last, but not least, strong religious faith, which teaches that you must do unto others as you would they should do unto you. With half this world steeped in atheism, our greatest need is sound religious faith—faith in God to whom we may turn for help and guidance. Alone we can do nothing."

GOOD LUCK AND SUCCESS TO THE CLASS OF 1948!!

Sheldon Museum Soon To Reopen Colonial Exhibits

Louise G. Lavarie '50

The Sheldon Museum, Middlebury's haven of colonial Americana, will open for its summer session on, or before, June first. Viewed by students during the winter months, the brick mansion on Park St. is a barren, tightly shuttered house of mystery; few students realize that in the summer, the century-old museum buzzes with curious visitors who flock to glimpse the curios scattered throughout its rooms.

It was Henry L. Sheldon, incorporator of the museum bearing his name, and "collector extraordinaire," who accumulated the variety of books, newspapers, guns, antique cooking utensils, Indian relics, military equipment, crockery, paintings, handbills and colonial costumes.

Mr. Sheldon frequented so many local auctions and solicited so many keepsakes from tradition-loving citizens of Addison county, he couldn't keep track of all his treasures. His collection piled up faster than he could catalogue it, and eventually, the Sheldon domain took on the appearance of an over-crowded pawn shop.

For thirty years after the old collector's death the priceless antiques lay in confused heaps throughout the Sheldon mansion. Then, in 1931, the Board of Trustees of the museum launched a plan, instigated by trustee W. Storrs Lee, to sort out, arrange and subsequently exhibit the potpourri of objects filling the museum's three floors. Mr. Arthur K. D. Healy, also a trustee, helped Mr. W. Storrs Lee with color-schemes and arrangement of the innumerable objects comprising the collection. In 1936 the museum was finally opened to the public—its piles of musty mementos artfully arranged in colorful exhibits.

A visitor steps right into the past when he crosses the threshold of the old Sheldon mansion. Each sunny, spacious room captures perfectly the mellow, colonial charm of the "crinoline days." Cracked, peeling likenesses of early Middlebury inhabitants gaze sternly down from their gold frames; yellowed hymnals lie, just as they did years ago, on the tin-toned pianola; charred pots and pans rest on

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CALENDAR FOR 1948-1949

1948

September

20—Monday, Freshman Week begins
21—Tuesday (8.00-12.00), Freshman Registration (2.00-5.00), Upperclass Registration
22—Wednesday (10.00 A.M.), President's Address in Mead Memorial Chapel
23—Thursday (8.00 A.M.), Recitations begin

October

9—Saturday, Alumni Homecoming Day

November

13—Saturday, Football Holiday
25—Thursday, Thanksgiving Day Holiday

December

18—Saturday (11.00 A.M.)
Christmas Recess begins

1949

January

6—Thursday (8.00 A.M.) Christmas recess ends
26—Wednesday (5.00 P.M.), Classes end
28—Friday, Examinations begin

February

5—Saturday, Examinations end
7—Monday (8.00 A.M.), Second Semester Recitations begin
24—Thursday (12.30 P.M.)
26—Saturday
Winter Carnival Holiday

April

2—Saturday (11.00 A.M.)
12—Tuesday (8.00 A.M.)
Spring Recess

May

31—Tuesday (5.00 P.M.), Classes end

June

2—Thursday, Examinations begin
10—Friday, Examinations end
11—Saturday, Class Day
12—Sunday, Baccalaureate
13—Monday, Commencement

Letters to the Editor

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This column is for expression of ideas from readers. Signe letters containing not more than 250 words will be printed.)

To the Editor:

Mother have I sinned?

There is a college rule which says "Thou shalt have no other furniture in your room besides mine!" My conscience will give me no rest ever since I smuggled that rickety old table into my room about three o'clock one morning last fall and put it together with scotch tape. But I did it, and I'm glad!

Last fall when I walked into my room, I was very happy over the furniture but I couldn't figure out what the little girl's vanity table was doing there. And where were the desks? Finally I found the janitor and told him my problem. Before he answered me he backed away to a safe distance, then he let me have it! Those itty bitty powder tables *were* the desks! After I recovered somewhat, I began to play games. I would sit about two feet from it, close my eyes and see how many times I could put my feet on it without missing! With a little help from the sonar and radar vets, I could hit it five times out of ten. That was encouraging so I decided to make the best of it. Before the eagerness and naivete passed, I used to try to study, but that—soon brought me to my senses. I would dash up to my room, put that "desk" on my lap, and go to work. The payoff came when I found out that in order to type I had to set the desk on one knee and the typewriter on the other.

They have classed us as a "generation of gripers" so I decided to say nothing, but I was desperate and there was th wonderful old table—I hold it up wit strings and scotch tape but I can put m feet under it and my typewriter on it!

Mother have I sinned!

CHARLES A. JAMES '49.

Dear Editor,

The time has come again when a gro must graduate from Middlebury Colleg A large proportion of this group is u prepared to meet the demands of o present-day economic society. Grant that they have met the requirements f a Middlebury degree, but what then? is our opinion that something is definit lacking. This deficiency is proper voc tional guidance during their four colle years.

Consideration has been given by t enlarged college for athletic facilities a professors' salaries, but nothing has b done to provide the incoming stude with vocational guidance. If this c tinues, we feel that the college is shirki its duty to fully prepare the graduati students for the cold, cruel world we h so much about.

It is our opinion that a competent p chologist should be employed by the c lege who would constantly test, gu and advise students at Middleb throughout their entire college career.

DAVID E. THOMPSON '4
JOSEPH F. FUCHS '48

News In Paragraphs

There will be a meeting of all seniors interested in the new Navy flight training program for college seniors in the north lounge of the Student Union Building June 1 at 10.00 a.m. The Navy Selection Board will answer questions and provide assistance in filling out applications at the Navy information desk in the lobby of the S. U.

Pres. Samuel S. Stratton will deliver the commencement address at the Kimball Union Academy in Meriden, N. H., June 6.

There will be a meeting of all senior men nounced this week by Pres. Samuel S. Stratton. Mrs. Prudence F. Bussey has been advanced from instructor to assistant professor of music; Mr. J. Rowland Illick has been promoted from instructor to assistant professor of geography; and Mr. C. Leonard Hoag has been advanced from assistant professor to associate professor of political science.

Rachel Stryker '49, Mary W. Cole '49, and Frank C. Colcord '49, of the Middlebury International Relations Club, attended a statewide conference of International Relations Clubs on Saturday, May 22, at the University of Vermont. Plans were made to create a state organization, which will meet annually for the discussion of programs or activities for the ensuing year and to compare viewpoints on world affairs. Elections were held and Miss Cole was elected corresponding secretary of the organization. The Vermont Organization will entertain the New England regional conference of IRCs next fall.

Leon M. Adkins, Jr., '49 and Richard S. Haseltine '49 have been appointed staff photographers of the 1950 *Kaleidoscope*.

Members of the Spanish Club held their picnic Wednesday evening, May 19, at Bread Loaf. The faculty in the Spanish department were guests of the club. Those attending participated in games, ate good food, witnessed a program of Latin American music and were led in group singing by Miss Rose Martin, associate professor of Spanish.

Officers elected for the coming year are: President, Robert A. Lustberg '50; secretary-treasurer, Hazel M. Savary '50; and program chairman, Norman L. Smith '49.

The annual Senior Ball will be held June 11, the Friday night preceding Commencement, in McCullough Gymnasi from 9.00 to 2.00 a.m. F. William Bo '48 and Nancy M. Leach '48 are the c chairmen of the dance.

The purchase of tickets will be limit according to tradition to the members the Senior class only. The Black Panth will provide the music at the ball and the informal alumni dance which will a be held in the college gym Saturday e ning, June 12.

Students planning to enroll in summ course at institutions other than Midd bury should prepare "Transfer of Cred forms which are now available at t Dean's office.

Veterans Administration forms for t change of present training institution another are now available at the Dea office. These forms must be filled out.

Students who need transcripts shou make the necessary arrangements wi the Registrar immediately. There w NOT be any transcripts made the we preceding commencement.

Morton Y. Sand '49, Elizabeth H. N son '51, Virginia H. Dunn '49, a Eleanor C. Flandreau '51 were elect president, vice-president, secretary a treasurer, respectively, of the Christi Association at a meeting held Tuesda May 25. G. Robert Buttrick '50 w elected chairman of Christian beliefs; Ba bara Bishop '49, chairman of world r latedness; Roger L. Beach '50, chairma of personal life; and Virginia Chaplin '5 chairman of community responsibility.

The traditional farewell banquet honor of the seniors who live at th Chateau was held tonight at 6.00 p.m The formal banquet was followed by meeting of the French Club, which in cluded the election of new officers an skits and take-offs on professors and stu dents.

The CAMPUS staff for the 1947-4 school year will hold a banquet at Do Team Tavern tomorrow evening, Ma 28.

This was an annual institution in pre war years, but this is the first dinner t be held since 1942. Special guests wi include: Pres. and Mrs. Samuel S. Ste ton, Dean and Mrs. W. Storrs Lee, De Mary F. Williams, Prof. and Mrs. Wa ter T. Bogart, Miss Elizabeth W. Bak and Francis Joachim, of the Free Pre Printing Co.

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KNOTHOLE

Far from the maddening crowd's ignoble strife in the cool requestered vale of the Green Mountains, a co-ed college of 1,220 students carries on a heavy intercollegiate sports program. Middlebury clashes with larger colleges from cities, has its own state series, and generally holds its own in all of these circles. As a famous statesman once said, "Let's look at the record." In the 1947 season the Middlebury football team won six games, tied one, and dropped one to a powerful Trinity team. They were not defeated in five home games and the student body saw five impressive victories. The Panthers won the State Championship and placed six men on the All-State team. The prospects for next year give indication that an equally successful season might be in store.

During the winter months the hockey and ski clubs vied for front page honors as both teams enjoyed successful seasons. The ski team packed with veterans Kailey, Henderson, Valentine, Deane, Neuberger and ably captained by "Tink" Bailey almost went through an undefeated season. They lost only one meet, the Vermont Outing Club affair at Underhill, Vt., to Dartmouth by the closest of margins. The highlights of the season were an upset victory in the Sun Valley Intercollegiate meet over Christmas vacation, and the sweeping of the I. S. U. Meet and Middlebury Carnival which were held jointly this year at Middlebury.

The Panther hockey sextet swept through the state series without any strain at all, losing only to Norwich. At the start of the new year, January 1-3 the team breezed through the Hamilton College Tournament downing Hamilton, Union and Lehigh.

In two trips to Boston the team did not fare as well winning only one out of those four contest as they had trouble adapting themselves to the indoor ice. On their first trip they dropped the opener to Northeastern by a 16-4 score, but undaunted, returned the following evening to eke out a 7-6 victory over M.I.T. In their return engagement they encountered the powerhouse of Boston, B.C. and B.U. Against B.C. they were cruelly outclassed and outskated and only averted a shutout in the last minute when Paul Thompson slipped one by the unsuspecting B.C. goalie.

On the following evening, with B. U. supplying the opposition, the Midd skaters found themselves, and carried the fight to B. U. They held a commanding 4-3 lead going into the final minutes of play but with 20 seconds remaining, the Terriers tied the score and went on to win in overtime.

The basketball team could not come up to the standards of the other two winter sports squads, but had some new blood and was exceptionally popular. The Club won only five games but finished strong, winning three out of the last five. The final game of the season saw them upset a powerful St. Lawrence quintet. Tom Whalen was the high scorer for the season and Walt Maurer was elected to lead the club next season. The addition of Bruce Burdette at mid-year greatly helped the club and much is expected from him next season.

The winning fever spread to the spring sports squads and when the curtain went up on the Midd baseball squad in Boston it was a raw Panther team with several new faces, but it has since developed into a smooth working, winning aggregation. After dropping three in a row on the Boston swing they came back strong to down St. Mike's, Union, Norwich, and St. Mike's again, in that order. Then the Panthers traveled to upstate New York to tangle with Clarkson and St. Lawrence. They dropped the first game, a heartbreaking 2-1 affair to Clarkson, but exploded to defeat St. Lawrence 15-6 the following afternoon. This was just a forewarning of what was to come as they continued in their rash and knocked off the highly touted Williams nine for their second win within two days. The following Monday the club all but insured the state title as they took advantage of Norwich 5-1. At this writing four games are left on the schedule, one each with R. P. I. and Hamilton and two with a weak Vermont club.

Last year the Panthers and Ferdy Vetare had little trouble with the Catamounts and the home forces are again banking on Ferdy to come through. The first meeting with U. V. M. will take place tomorrow at Porter Field and the season will be rounded out Monday at Burlington. With a double victory over Vermont and a split from the R. P. I., Hamilton series the year's record would be 10-5 which is .667 and a highly commendable season record, anything better than that would be superlative considering the Panthers got off on the wrong foot.

While the baseball team was stealing the headlines and overall popularity, the track team was merrily going about enjoying one of the most successful seasons they've ever had. At the present they are undefeated in dual competition sporting victories over Williams, Bates, Hamilton, and Trinity.

This Saturday they close out their season with the annual dog eat dog affair with U. V. M., and, although hampered by the restriction which prohibits them from using freshmen, the Panthers can never be counted out. Over the year the forces bearing the blue and white have nobly held their heads high and to everyone who bore these colors this year, we say, "A Job well done." Quietly, but firmly, a Renaissance in sports has taken place at Middlebury this year and it sounds nice to say, "We won." Let's keep it that way!

New W.A.A. Heads Chosen For '48-'49

Priscilla Davis was elected president of W. A. A. as a result of the preferential balloting conducted in the Student Union building Tuesday, May 25. The other officers elected to head the organization through the 1948-49 sports seasons are Lois Rapp, vice-president; Barb Lukens, secretary; and Gene Edgar, treasurer.

As president of her class this year Davie headed the many junior activities and has been an active supporter of W. A. A. since her freshman year. Her major league activities have been in hockey, basketball and volleyball. During the past basketball season, Davie played guard on the junior first team.

Lois Rapp, wielded the secretary's pen of W. A. A. this year. She succeeds Peg Drysdale who, as an exceedingly competent vice-president during the past two semesters, reorganized the W. A. A. point accounting files and publicized a complete list of each member's total credits.

Barb Lukens, who will fill the sophomore secretarial position, achieved the distinct honor of a berth on the All-Midd basketball team while a freshman. Among other sports activities, Barb is an enthusiast at the game of lacrosse, which is being given its initiation for women in Vermont here at Midd under Miss Diefold's tutelage.

Gene Edgar will guard the W. A. A. cache next year and keep a weather eye on playday and prize expenditures.

Tennis Team Ties St. Lawrence 4-4

Although rain forced postponement of its long-awaited meet with UVM, the Middlebury tennis team had a busy competitive week. Playing on their own hard-surface courts, the Midd racket wielders bowed to Union in a return encounter last Wednesday by a 6-3 score. On Friday the St. Lawrence netmen made up a 4-2 deficit to even the count at 4-4. Rain then forced cancellation of the deciding doubles match.

In both matches, the Midd netmen displayed considerable strength in the singles encounters but failed to take a single doubles match.

In a sizzling match between the two top players, Bob Parker rallied to overcome Union's Kuzzernow 7-9, 6-3, 6-4. However, Al Rice the number two Midd player was overwhelmed by Scheier 6-1, 6-1. A 6-2, 6-2 victory by Add Merrick balanced a 6-3, 6-1 setback of Hal Richardson. Don Axinn subbing for Felix Rohatyn met defeat at the hands of Lesser by a 6-3, 6-1 count. Ken Coleburn then came through with a 6-2, 7-5 victory over Steinhart to even the meet score at three all. However, in the doubles matches it was all Union. Of the three Panther teams, only Parker and Rice managed to extend their opponents to three sets.

In the St. Lawrence meet, the Midd netmen sharpened their games considerably against an aggressive St. Lawrence team. Victories were turned in by Parker, Richardson, Rohatyn, and Coleburn.

By TOM GINTY

What with this year's last issue of the CAMPUS now at hand, we wish that we could have given the readers all the straight dope on final standings, results and such. However, it is not the case since the intramural schedule has been completely ruined by the recent deluge of rain. Only the information on softball results up to last Tuesday are available.

The Sig Eps performed a neat whitewashing job on the ATO's a week ago today as they pounded out a 15-0 victory. Paul Okarski pitched a beautiful game for the winners, letting ATO down with the anaemic sum of five bingles. Sowles of the losers was blasted for fifteen safeties and Hank Caswell and Bill Stearns led the batting attack for SPE.

In the other game that same day, DU trampled the Neutrals by a 19-4 count in an abbreviated five inning session. Joe Fuchs was the winning pitcher as his Neutral rivals, Jack Cran and Ross Cowan were touched for eleven hits. The batting sensation of the day turned out to be Dex Whittinghill who pounded a pair of homers for the victors.

Friday saw the KDR's enjoy the winning role when they eked out a 13-12 triumph over the Alpha Sigs. Both Jim Beck for KDR and Sid Hamolsky, the ASP flinger, displayed plenty of savvy but nevertheless both were hit hard. The contest produced a trio of four-base sluggers. Bill Miller cracked his fourth of the year for the losers while Ranchmen Dick Hunt and Jim Beck exploded one apiece. Hunt's provided the winning marker and was a long blast over the left fielder's head.

At the same time, Chi Psi garnered another game for the win column with a 13-9 defeat of Theta Chi. Don McGuire came through with another victory for the Chipsies while Bob Fuller was being batted around freely by the winners. He was charged with the loss.

GOLF MATCHES

The Middlebury divot diggers traveled to Mass. this week and tied Williams 4½-4½ and downed Amherst 6½-2½. Earlier in the season Williams beat the Panthers, but in the New Englands the Blue and White linksmen trounced the Ephmen by seven strokes.

Midd Golfers Cop Vt. State Laurels; Don Bates Champ

The Vermont State Golf Championships turned into an inter-squad match last Saturday and Sunday after the Panthers had swept through the team competition on Friday morning to cop the state title for the second consecutive year. Don Bates defeated two of his teammates without any qualms at all as he walked off with individual honors. The Middlebury total was 321 while Vermont finished a weak second with 348. St. Michaels ended up some distance off the pace in third place with a staggering 360. Rollie Boucher was the medalist Friday morning, but his glory was to be short lived, as Don Bates, playing top tourney golf under adverse conditions, came driving from behind to down all comers in match play.

Match play got under way Friday afternoon when Rollie Boucher defeated his brother Bob, Bates took the measure of St. Mike's John Corbett, Ray Nihan downed Dick Birge from Vermont and Al Perreault of Vermont, topped his teammate Gibertson. In the semi-finals Bates pulled the upset of the tournament, turning back Rollie Boucher but still had one more bridge to cross as Ray Nihan had also come through to win his semi-final match from Perreault.

In the finals between the two Midd pros tension was the keynote as Bates held a one stroke margin over Nihan as they approached the 18th hole. Nihan then proceeded to show he meant business and turned in a par, but Bates was not to be denied as he sank a ten foot putt to also par the hole and win the match with a 78. Bates was exceptionally powerful and accurate in his drives and his putting was equally as adroit.

Panthers Take Games From Williams, Norwich

Midd Powerhouse Stops Hilltoppers By Wide Margin

Last Saturday afternoon Coach Arthur Brown's track team, still plagued by bad weather, won its fourth straight dual meet at the expense of the visiting Trinity thinclads by a 77⅓-48⅔ margin. The Panthers are undefeated in two-way competition.

Irv Meeker came through with three first places for the third time this season, quite a feat in any man's language. Irv took both hurdle races and the broad jump to cop high scoring honors for the day. Freshman Don Sherburne was second in the point race for Midd by virtue of a double victory in the 100 and 220 yard dashes.

Sam Donnellon put in the hardest days work for the Panthers in rolling up a 9 point total. Sam raced to a second behind Sherburne in the 100, won the gruelling 440 in excellent time considering the muddy track, and came back in the 220 for a third, just missing the number two spot by inches.

Will Bangs came up with a fine performance in the 880 that easily took the blue ribbon and Dave Dale was way out in front in the mile. Bob Reed had no trouble taking the javelin, Bob Buttrick was high man in the high jump, and Capt. Dix Hemphill tied in the pole vault for first and in the high jump for second.

THE SUMMARIES

100 yd. dash—1, Sherburne M; 2, Donnellon M; 3, Paine T; Time, 10.4 sec.

220 yd. dash—1, Sherburne M; 2, Paine T; 3, Donnellon M; time, 23.1 sec.

120 yd. high hurdles—1, Meeker M; 2, Lamere M; 3, Compton T; time, 16.8 sec.

220 yd. low hurdles—1, Meeker M; 2, Selivonchik M; 3, Tenny T; time, 25.5 sec.

440 yd. dash—1, Donnellon M; 2, Dragone M; 3, Davis T; time, 54.5 sec.

880 yd. run—1, Bangs M; 2, Barry T; 3, Gore M; time, 2 min. and 11.7 sec.

Mile run—1, Dale M; 2, Barry T; 3, Cushman M; time, 4 min. and 46.5 sec.

2-mile run—1, Lemieux T; 2, tie between Bates M, and Geiken M; time, 10 min. and 28 sec.

High jump—1, Buttrick M; 2, tie among Hemphill M, Taylor T, and Howel T; height, 5 feet 4 inches.

Broad jump—1, Meeker M; 2, Morley T; 3, Lamere M; distance, 18 feet 11 inches.

Pole vault—1, tie between Hemphill M, and Epps, T; 3, tie between Furber M, and Joslin M; height, 11 feet.

Shot put—1, Noonan T; 2, Root T; 3, Kennedy T; distance, 41 feet 10½ inches.

Discus—1, Noonan T; 2, Root T; 3, Kracke M; distance, 123 feet 6 inches.

Javelin—1, Reed M; 2, Root T; 3, Mahoney T; distance, 167 feet 1 inch.

Midd Tops S. L. U.; Clarkson Wins 2-1

The Panthers had their four-game winning streak broken last week when they ran smack up against the weak hitting Clarkson club that managed to hit well enough to trip the Panthers up by a 2-1 score. It was their second road trip of the season, and the Middmen split the series as they thrashed St. Lawrence 15-6 after bowing to Clarkson.

A fellow named Jerry Hamm, who bore no resemblance to his name, fashioned a five-hitter for Clarkson as he shackled the Midd bats. It was the misfortune of Bud Burkewitz to toe the mound when the Panther bats weren't booming as Bud pitched well enough to merit a victory. Burkewitz allowed only three hits, walked seven, and struckout seven, but all three of the hits counted in the scoring. Hamm managed to spread the five hits he allotted over the route and escaped serious damage in all but the sixth inning when Farrell doubled, moved to third on an infield out, and scored when Hunt flied to center.

The following afternoon the boys in blue traveled to Canton to take on the St. Lawrence nine. The Middmen emerged from their lethargy and pounded the Larries 15-6. The game was sparked by the heavy hitting of Paul Farrell and Che Che Barquin. Paul got four hits including a double, triple, and a brace of singles. Che Che garnered two singles and a double and drove in four runs.

Also heartening to the Midd forces was the performance turned in by John Whitton who twirled seven-hit ball to win his first start. John received some spotty support at times as his infield made six errors behind him. However, the infield all but made up for it when they engineered their first post-war triple play. It came in the fourth inning with the bases loaded when Mulcahy speared a line drive, stepped on second and threw to first.

Williams Trounced By Midd Sluggers

VETARE POSTS 5-1 WIN OVER NORWICH

Jim Newman turned in a masterful bit of twirling last Friday, and as a result, the Midd baseball forces knocked off the highly-touted Williams nine, 10-4. This was the Panthers' sixth victory in the last seven games. It also was Newman's first victory in the Blue and White livery. The rangy righthander had an exceptionally good day and mixed a sweeping curve with his hard one and had the Williams sluggers hitting the dirt or flying out for the major part of the afternoon.

However, Newman wasn't the whole show as the Midd batters were enjoying a more successful afternoon at the plate than their rivals. Eleven safeties were collected by the Panthers who were paced by Che Che Barquin, Jack Mulcahy, and Captain Dick Buonerba. All three got two safe blows apiece.

The Panthers drew first blood as they forged ahead in the first inning, pushing across four runs. Additional markers were added in the second and third innings. With Midd ahead 6-0 Williams showed sign of coming to life in the eighth inning when they put four runs together, three of which were unearned. This rally only infuriated the Panthers and they came roaring back to tally four more runs in the bottom of the inning to put the game on ice. Williams threatened again mildly in the ninth but Newman had everything under control in short order.

Williams did not start its ace, George Ditmar. He was being saved for the Wesleyan game the following afternoon. In Ditmar's place Bill Kaufman went to the mound and was eventually removed in place of Marv Owen, an outfielder by trade.

BOX SCORE—MIDD-WILLIAMS

Middlebury

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barquin, rf.	4	3	2	1	0	0
Farrell, 2b.	1	2	0	4	4	0
Hunt, lf.	5	1	1	0	0	1
Forbes, 3b.	5	1	1	0	2	2
Coppinger, 1b.	4	2	1	10	1	0
Buonerba, cf.	4	1	2	1	0	0
Mulcahy, ss.	4	0	2	5	3	0
Corbisiero, c.	4	0	1	5	0	1
Newman, p.	4	0	1	0	5	0
Totals	35	10	11	27	15	4

Score by innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9—T
Midd	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	4	x—10
Williams	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0— 4

Vetare Wins Third

Middlebury's baseball team won game seven, their fourth in a row and fourth state game, last Monday when they took Norwich into camp, 5-1. Ferdy Vetare, who has the Indian sign on all state teams and has yet to lose in state competition, toed the rubber for the Panthers and went the distance for his third win of the season. Ferdy gave up eight hits including a double and a homer but had the stuff in the clinches. The lone Norwich tally was a home run by Kearney in the eighth inning. Kearney proved to be a thorn in Vetare's side all afternoon as the Norwich slugger collected three hits in four trips to the plate.

The "window-breakers" from Midd collected only seven safe blows; but a timely three-run first inning got them away to a flying start; and they were never headed from there on in. Sheehan started off with a single, Mulcahy walked, and Maurer doubled to drive in the first run. Valentine then walked to load the bases, and Buonerba drove in two more markers with a single. The final two runs were picked up via single tallies in the fourth and eighth innings.

Maurer was the only Panther to collect two hits as he bashed out a single and a double.

BOX SCORE—MIDD-NORWICH

Middlebury

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Barquin, rf.	4	0	0	3	2	0
Sheehan, 2b.	4	1	1	5	4	2
Mulcahy, ss.	4	1	1	2	4	1
Maurer, 1b.	5	1	2	10	0	0
Valentine, lf.	3	1	1	2	0	0
Buonerba, cf.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Corbisiero, c.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Kailey, 3b.	3	1	1	2	2	0
Vetare, p.	3	0	0	0	3	0
Totals	33	5	7	27	16	3

Score by innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9—R	H	E
Midd	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0—5	7	3
Norwich	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1	8	3

THREE MEN GIVEN DEBATING AWARDS

Philip G. Hull '49, John M. Hale '48, and Roswell T. Edwards '49 were awarded, respectively, the first, second, and third Wetherell prizes and Edwin Winship Lawrence prizes for debating in Chapel Monday, May 24.

The Wetherell prizes are awarded each year to the men showing the greatest interest and proficiency in debating. The Edwin Winship Lawrence prizes, established in conjunction with the University of Vermont, are given to three debaters participating in the annual debate between U. V. M. and Middlebury. The winners are the best three in two teams.

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E. W. Baker To Be Museum Curator

Miss Elizabeth W. Baker, social director, has been appointed Curator of the Sheldon Museum for the summer, it was announced by W. Storrs Lee, president of the museum trustees. Miss Baker succeeds Miss Florence Allen '98, who has resigned after twelve years as Curator. Miss Allen will continue her work at the Museum until July 1, when Miss Baker will take charge. The Museum will be open for the season early in June.

Miss Baker is qualified to supervise one of the outstanding local historical collections in New England because of her interest in Americana and her service for five years as librarian at Mount Holyoke College.

She is a graduate of Mount Holyoke, served during the war as Red Cross Overseas Field Director in the Pacific, and has been Social Director at Middlebury during the past two years.

"Miss Allen's resignation is accepted with great reluctance by the Trustees," commented Dean Lee, "But her failing health left her no other choice. She is largely responsible for the progress made by the Museum during the past decade, and she has gained the respect and affection of many hundreds of visitors to the Museum."

Dr. John Thomas To Speak Sunday

Dr. John Martin Thomas, a graduate and former president of Middlebury College, will be the guest speaker of freshman-sophomore vespers Sunday, May 30.

Dr. Thomas is a graduate of Union Theological Seminary and has been president of Pennsylvania State College, Rutgers University, and Norwich University. He is now a trustee of Rutland Junior College, and is one of the leading orchardists in Vermont. Dr. Thomas also does much speaking throughout the state.

During his administration, 1908-1921, summer sessions were started at Middlebury, the gift of Breadloaf Mountain was received from Mr. Battell, and Pearsons Hall, the Chemistry Building, McCullough Gymnasium, Hepburn Hall, and Mead Chapel were built. The student body and faculty were also increased.

Dr. Thomas was one of the first men to receive the Alumni Award, a recognition from the alumni for outstanding service to the college.

MEEKER AWARD

(Continued from page 1)

Mr. Meeker has been a regular end on the football team for two years as well as an outstanding performer on the indoor and outdoor track squads. Recently tapped for Blue Key, he has served as secretary of the freshman class, treasurer of the sophomore class, and is a member of Men's Assembly.

News In Paragraphs

Tickets for the Reunion Barbecue will be $1.50. Seniors should reserve theirs through Mr. Carter's office, alumni through the Alumni Office.

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Young Award Won By Mary Sellman

The Marion L. Young award of $125 was presented to Mary E. Sellman '51 during morning chapel on Thursday, May 27, by Barbara T. Wells, alumnae secretary. Due to the completion last June of the $5,000 endowment fund, the scholarship was increased by $25 over last year's award.

This honor is conferred each year upon a freshman woman on the basis of leadership in sports, character and service. She is chosen by a committee consisting of the Dean of Women, the chairman of the physical education department, the alumnae secretary and the president of W.A.A. Patricia A. Perkins '49 and Virginia Hardy '50 received the award the past two years.

Miss Sellman is president of her class and has been active throughout the year in W.A.A. sports. She has participated in lacrosse, basketball, tennis, and played on her class' first hockey team.

The Alumnae Association established this award in 1938 in memory of Marion L. Young who was a graduate of Middlebury and was associated with the physical education department from 1918 until her death in 1938 in an automobile accident. Miss Young not only showed a marked enthusiasm in her work but a sincere interest and understanding of her students.

E. FLETT AWARDED 1948 SCHOLARSHIP

Eleanor A. Flett '50 was awarded the French scholarship of $125 by Dr. Stephen A. Freeman, vice-president, in chapel Tuesday, May 25. The scholarship is given by French government to the Middlebury student who has shown outstanding ability in the French language. The recipient is required to be a French major who is planning to live in the Chateau next year.

Miss Flett has been an active participant in both variety show productions and has had roles in several Playhouse presentations.

The award was made for the third consecutive year. In 1946 the winner was Constance O. Bergersen '48 and in 1947 it was awarded to Virginia H. Dunn '49.

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Summer Schools Schedule Complete

Plans for the Middlebury College Summer School sessions of 1948 have been completed. The fortieth session of the French, Italian, Russian and Spanish foreign language schools will open July 2 and close August 19. The German school will open July 5.

Under the direction of Stephen A. Freeman, vice-president of Middlebury College, these schools are devoted primarily to the intensive preparation of teachers of foreign languages. A fundamental idea of the language schools is to contribute to American preparedeness "for real international cooperation based on an understanding of our cultural heritage and the thought processes of our neighbors in a small world."

Well-known language teachers and educators, many from the language departments of Middlebury College, make up the faculties.

The Bread Loaf School of English will hold its twenty-ninth session from June 30 to August 14. Formal courses in English and American literature are conducted under the direction of Reginald L. Cook, professor of American Literature at Middlebury College.

Mature students interested professionally in the study and teaching of English gather at Bread Loaf. Credits toward the master's degree are given and since its establishment in 1920 the school has granted 319 degrees.

Special features of the English school include concerts, lectures, and readings. Robert Frost, Cornelia Otis Skinner, Carl Sandburg, Sinclair Lewis and other leading writers have been guest lecturers in the past.

Middlebury will sponsor two conferences from August 20 to September 4. The Composer's Conference and the Chamber Music Center directed by Alan Carter, associate professor of music, will be held on the Middlebury campus. The Bread Loaf Writers' Confeernce, headed by Theodore Morrison, English professor at Harvard University, has on its staff such literary men as Robert Frost, Bernard de Voto, Fletcher Pratt and Richard L. Brown, associate professor of English at Middlebury.

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Players Reactivate Old Organization

A reorganization of Players and a reactivation of the old Wig and Pen Society was effected at a recent meeting of the dramatic group.

The reorganized Players will be open to all Middlebury students while the Wig and Pen society will take the position formerly held by Players as the honorary dramatic organization. The purpose of the move is to arouse more interest in the Playhouse and dramatics and to give a more systematic structure and more coordination among the tryouts for the senior group.

The constitution adopted by Wig and Pen is primarily the same as that formerly possessed by Players with a few modifications. The change has been approved by the Student Life Committee and favorably voted upon by a group composed of tryouts and full members of the old Players.

At the same meeting a committee was elected to draw up a schedule of five productions to be sponsored by the Players and Wig and Pen. The committee will be composed of: Erie T. Volkert, associate professor of drama; Lewis W. Miller, assistant professor of speech and drama; Warren L. Frost '50; Thomas R. Skelton, Jr. '50; Barbara McGuire '49; Mary-Ellen Raine '49.

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Reunion Barbecue Scheduled June 12

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Entertainment will be provided by the faculty Cosmos Club who will present a repeat performance of Gilbert and Sullivan's operetta "Trial by Jury."

Evan B. Littlefield '48 and Shirley J. Syrett '48 are co-chairmen of the barbecue committee in charge of the stunts and games, including weight-guessing, tests of strength, etc., preceding the barbecue.

Pewter plaques will be awarded to two outstanding alumni or alumnae for "meritorious service to their Alma Mater." The McCullough Reunion Cup will be given to the 5-year reunion class having the largest percentage of living members registered at Starr Library before 12.30 p.m. Saturday.

L. THOMPSON WINS PHI BETE HONORS

Laurence C. Thompson, Jr. '49 was initiated into Phi Beta Kappa in Chapel Monday, May 24. Raymond H. White, professor of Latin and secretary of the Middlebury chapter of the honorary fraternity, initiated Mr. Thompson who completed six semesters of work in February with a 90.42 average.

Seniors who will have completed eight semesters with an average of at least 87.5 by the end of the current semester, will be initiated into Phi Beta Kappa during Commencement Week.

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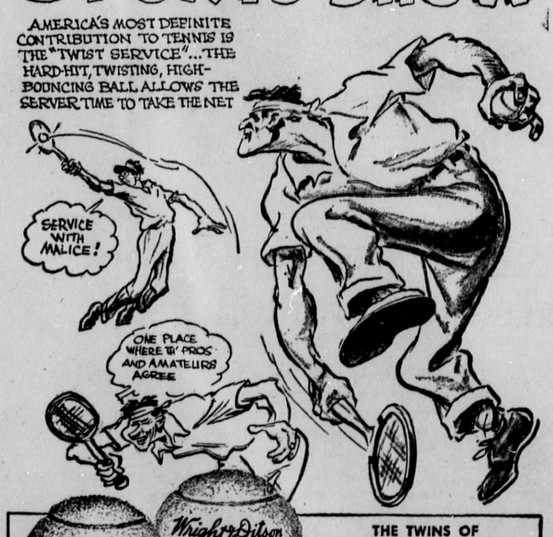
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Mary Lou Allin and Betty Chappell are boarding any available means of transportation out of the too familiar metropolis this weekend to take part in the installation of a new chapter at Rhode Island State College.

Mrs. Joy's famous culinary art did much to make our initiation banquet at Dog Team the best one yet. Songs, speeches, and the presentation of two scholarship rings (congratulations to Janie Terpening and Betty Chappell!) highlighted the evening.

Many thanks to the juniors for a sensational weekend.

Delta Delta Delta

We're giving our prexy a vacation. Mickey gets a free trip to Banff, Alberta in the Canadian Rockies for a rest cure from her duties and to attend convention on the side in July. How judicial can one prexy get? Student Union elections last week gave her the position of Chief Justice. Peg Stearns, still fresh from Mortar Board fame, was elected vice-president of Student Union.

Junior Weekend brought Swiftie back for a visit; brought Jo Keller, assistant director, laurels; brought Barb Ferris and the sophomores first prize in step-singing; and brought Ellie Flett a Tri Delt pledge pin.

Sturges is graduating!

Kappa Delta

The K. D.s almost got to see a good movie Monday night when the lineup practically extended into the Town Hall Theatre. The ranks were swelled by twelve new initiates: Marty O'Brien, Jeanne Flauss, Ann Mudge, Judy Schmitz, Mary Lou Wiley, Lee Hungerford, Che Tewksbury, Joan Pratt, Ginny Chaplin, Elsbeth Wright, Char Kastenbein and Corolyn Johnson.

Dottie Britton, Faye George and Janey Baker made the news for this week donning the maroon and purple, pledging the white and green and taking over Women's Assembly. Dot was pinned to a Sig Ep from University of Pennsylvania; Faye was pledged to Kappa Delta and Janey was installed as Student Union president.

Senior farewell coming up tomorrow promises to be a gay but sad affair. Much as we hate to admit it, "deep down in our hearts we've got a feeling for them"—Toni Carabillo, Shirley Feyrer, Ganger Neal, Al Deininger, Bobbie Harvan, Jean Swenson, Shirley March, Elaine Gundlacker and Do Jones.

Kappa Kappa Gamma

The last Pin Points of the year! The din of dropping of pins is fading away to a hollow echo; a wonderful year of safaris, chocolate candies and fattening banquets is all but through. Kappas reluctantly realized this Monday last when Mrs. Howard Munford welcomed graduating sorority members to the ranks of the alumnae at the annual Senior Farewell. Four unforgettable years covered in a moment's jump from an active to an alum! Kappa seniors found it hard to believe, as did their sisters, that the riotous skits put on by each class meant goodbye to Ronnie Brown, Ann Cadmus, Nona Flatley, Corrine Nagle, Jo Ann Selleck, Skeet Titus, Pinky Williams, Nan Richardson, Janie Drummond, George Greenley, Judy Little, and Ann Walthall.

Phi Mu

We celebrated the last meeting of the year by initiating Pat Wulp and Anne Fisher and by having a party for the seniors. The seniors were properly enthusiastic over our inspired elegies. We were invaded by a trio of Pi Phis who dropped by to serenade us and later a misguided KD sauntered in. Pan-Hellenic spirit prevailed in the Phi Mu rooms.

To end the year on a more serious note, the Phi Mus wish to thank all the people who have been so kind and helpful during the past semester. To the Dean, our patronesses, all the sororities, Pan-Hel, and faculty members, we extend our thanks for the sympathetic understanding you have shown us throughout the year.

Pi Beta Phi

Monday night her highness McFarland called the meeting to order, gently rapping on everyone's head with a gavel. The motion by Toad Buzby was moved, seconded, thirded, that the senior women graduate *cum laude* in sheets and four-leaf clover wreaths around the head. Fifteen reports by the twenty-four standing committee sat down, and were rejected. Many thanks to the E.D.K.'s for their generous farewell gift of four kegs to the dryest group on campus. Have we sinned, Bud Mulroy? The parting words of the sedate senior women with tears in their eyes were simply, "Ring-Ching."

Sigma Kappa

Mr. Healy talked to us about the authentication of paintings a week ago. Checking all the necessary details seems to be an arduous task, but it can be a good way to see the country while tracing the painters.

We had a wonderful time at the supper given by the seniors, and hope that they'll come back some time next year to visit us. They can bring some of those home-made cakes which we sampled Monday night—we won't complain!

The patrons and patronesses will give a picnic for the seniors at the Heinrichs' summer home on Lake Champlain.

It was nice to see Leah Young '47 back for the weekend . . . Congratulations to the Juniors for a swell week-end and a terrific yearbook.

Calendar

SATURDAY, MAY 29
P.M.
8.30—Alpha Sigma Psi, Spring Formal
7.30—Alpha Tau Omega, Banquet and Spring Formal
5.00—Delta Upsilon, Spring Formal
8.00—Sigma Phi Epsilon, Spring Formal

SUNDAY, MAY 30
5.00—Freshman-Sophomore Chapel

MONDAY, MAY 31
4.30—S. A. A. Executive Committee, North Lounge, S. U.

TUESDAY, JUNE 1
10.00 a.m.—Naval Aviation Recruiting, North Lounge, S. U.
7.00—Newman Club, North Lounge, S. U.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2
10.00 a.m.—Naval Aviation Recruiting, North Lounge, S. U.

THURSDAY, JUNE 3
12.30—Classes end

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Sheldon Museum

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the brick hearth; clothes of the colonial era hang in the closets.

There are bedrooms, a dining room-kitchen, a library, and a gun room. There is a complete replica of an old-time general store, selling everything from "Horse Cure" to corsets. Bright handbills advertise "Sunshine of Paradise Alley" at the opera house; shoppers are urged to "Chew the Charm of the West Tobacco."

The store, like all the rooms in the old Sheldon mansion, is exactly as it would have been in the 1800's. It projects the visitor into a forgotten era; brightening for the imagination the faded colors of colonial times. Each room in this amazing museum is an authentic piece of the past, magically preserved for posterity.

Dissatisfaction Breeds Strange Malady Of Contagious Nature Among Students

Mary E. Hemeon '49

From the fifth floor of Hepburn to the "Mole Hall" in Gifford, from the mildest freshman woman to the biggest wheel on campus, this malady strikes the high and low, the weak and strong alike. And what is this malady? Let us call it griping.

The griping germ itself breeds in areas where dissatisfaction, discontent, and skepticism are prevalent. The culture medium for the growth of this germ is talk. Yes, this germ is definitely spread by way of the mouth. It has vicious vocal tendencies.

There are several types of griping germs, however. One type creates a natural immunity once the victim has had the disease. The next time the germ appears in his area, he ignores it. The next type may be vicious enough to produce in the victim a chronic case of what might be called, "The Gripes." This kind is most dangerous since the victim makes no attempt to overcome this malady. He sinks further into despondency and is more likely, in this condition, to spread the germ to those around him. The only cure in this case is isolation of the victim; the cure is for those who might be around the victim. The third type of griping germ may infect the victim for a short period of time, but with good care he overcomes the disease. This he usually does by finding the cause for the attack of "The Gripes," and administering his own medicine.

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